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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

In the paragraph on page 19 from lines 18-30, please amend line 29 of the paragraph as follows:

Turning now to FIG.'s 12A and 12B there is shown another alternative embodiment of a grating mount 200 according to aspects of an embodiment of the present invention. In the embodiment of FIG.'s 12A and 12B an additional glass expander 400 is added and placed in an expander slot 402. The expander 400 may be made, w.f., of the same ULE glass as the rod 260 and may abut the rod 260 on one side and the body 202 of the grating mount 200 on the other side, in the longitudinal direction of the grating mount. The expander 400 may be snugly fit into the slot 402, such that the expander as it expands in the lateral direction of the grating mount 200, the aluminum grating mount will expand slightly more, giving the expander 400 room to expand in the lateral direction of the grating mount 200. The expander 400 may have on it the mounting points 267, 268 for the grating (not shown) such that the expander 400 can take the place of the flexure mount [2]34 in the embodiment of FIG. 12.